

House Resolution 107 - Introduced

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 107

BY OURTH, HAGENOW, SMITH, BALTIMORE, and BAUDLER

1 A Resolution honoring the Iowa State Patrol and
2 recognizing Iowa State Trooper Joseph William Long's
3 meritorious service.

4 WHEREAS, on February 18, 2016, Iowa State Trooper
5 Joseph Long was stationed at the west checkpoint of the
6 Iowa State Capitol Building when he was dispatched to
7 Room G02 to respond to a report of an individual who
8 had collapsed; and

9 WHEREAS, upon arriving on the scene at 10:06 a.m.
10 and noticing an adult male lying on the floor with
11 blood coming from the back of his head, Trooper Long
12 immediately called for rescue, determined the victim
13 had no pulse, and began performing cardiopulmonary
14 resuscitation (CPR); and

15 WHEREAS, as a trained and certified emergency
16 medical technician, Trooper Long followed through with
17 a series of chest compressions and related procedures
18 that revived the victim, who has since made a full
19 recovery; and

20 WHEREAS, the Iowa House of Representatives stands
21 in honor of the Iowa State Patrol and its commitment
22 to excellence, and its many brave public servants who,
23 like Trooper Long, exemplify everything for which the
24 Iowa State Patrol has proudly stood since 1935: honor,
25 integrity, courage, and undaunted service to the people
26 of Iowa; NOW THEREFORE,

27 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
28 That Iowa State Trooper Joseph William Long deserves

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1 commendation from the people of Iowa for meritorious
2 service in the line of duty resulting in the saving of
3 a human life.